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Teams at Top of East Washington S. S. Circuit Hook Up in Battle This Afternoon.

RAIN CALLS OFF ALL GAMES

Cornell and Bankers Meet Again on Thursday at Capital City League Park.

Among the Amateurs

GAMES TODAY. Cap City-No game.

Central-Y. M. H. A. vs. G. P. O. Depart-Interstate vs. War. Federal-Trin. vs. P. B. E. W. S. S .- Ninth vs. First Meth. R. R. Y. M. C. A .- Exp. vs. Sta. Potomac-High. vs. O. H. Treasury-Fed. vs. C. of Cy. Marquette-Med. vs. War. Eastern-Avon. vs. Dread. Northwest-Whit. vs. Calv.

GAMES YESTERDAY. No games, rain.

By BRYAN MORSE.

If the rain holds off long enough and the grounds are dry enough to play on today at Thirteenth and D streets northeast, the amateur fans will get their money's worth when Ninth and First M. P. hook up in the East Wash-

Both teams are fighting for the first place title, and should be able to stage a contest well worth watching. All other games today fail to frame up as well as that on the hill. According to "Doc" Butz, who is piloting the First team. Buck" Becker, sometime pride of the navy yard, once a member of Griff's Nationals, and later pitcher for the Atlanta club in the Southern League, will adorn the mound for the First team with Howard Phipps behind the plate,

"Doc" Butz says he will certainly hang it on to the Ninth Street Christ ing ready for a killing. Manager Broome, of the Ninth team, the aggre-Thirteenth and D streets what a pennant winner has looked like for several easons, opines he will send Beal! er Ben Pryant to the mound.

The game should draw out the banner crowd of the year, as it will be by all dds the best staged on the local sand-

G. P. O. is not expecting a hard rub brook. of it in the Central League today. The Y. M. H. A. aggregation is to be met, and as the Young Men have failed to burst into the won column with a win this year, nothing difficult is being expected by the printery team.

On Sunday the G. P. O. team is getting action with the Virginians at Union League Park. Capt. Jenkins will handle the indicator, which assures everything in order for that side of the contest. Announcement is made that "Finney" Kelly, G. P. O. pitcher and winner of many games this year, will work for the printery team. work for the printery team.

Not a single contest was played yes-terday, all of the playing fields being too wet to stage a game. It was ex-pected that the Bankers and South-land would take the date in the Capital City League today, but the lateness of the arrangement was thought to be too great a handicap in getting the teams together for the game today.

A word for the umpires this reason. President Young has gotten together a fine corps of umpires, and so far little has been heard against the occisions rendered in the various circuits. No kicks have been registered to the president, and everything seems to be going along at a fast clip without trouble of any sort. There have been one or two occasions where players have gotten a bit too fresh, and in an instance or two the trouble maker has been sent to the

Robert Jones, lately elected to the Federal League, assures the fans that the games at Grant circle and Upshur street will continue. Postponements last week caused a general shake-up in the circuit, and Jones was elected to the leadership in place of former President George Travers, who stepped out.

Cornell and the Bankers will hook up Cornell and the Bankers will hook up in the Capital City League on Thursday, and already more or less elaborate preparations are being made by the Cornell team to take the Bankers into camp. Boss Cornell has tried out almost everything he has had in the pitching line against the flying Bank

On the other hand, almost any of the On the other hand, almost any of the Bankers' twirlers are able to hand the Cornell team a joit. According to reports, Cornell has signed up Jimmy O'Brien, formerly a hurler in the Virginia League, and he will be given a chance to see what he can do against the Bankers on Thursday.

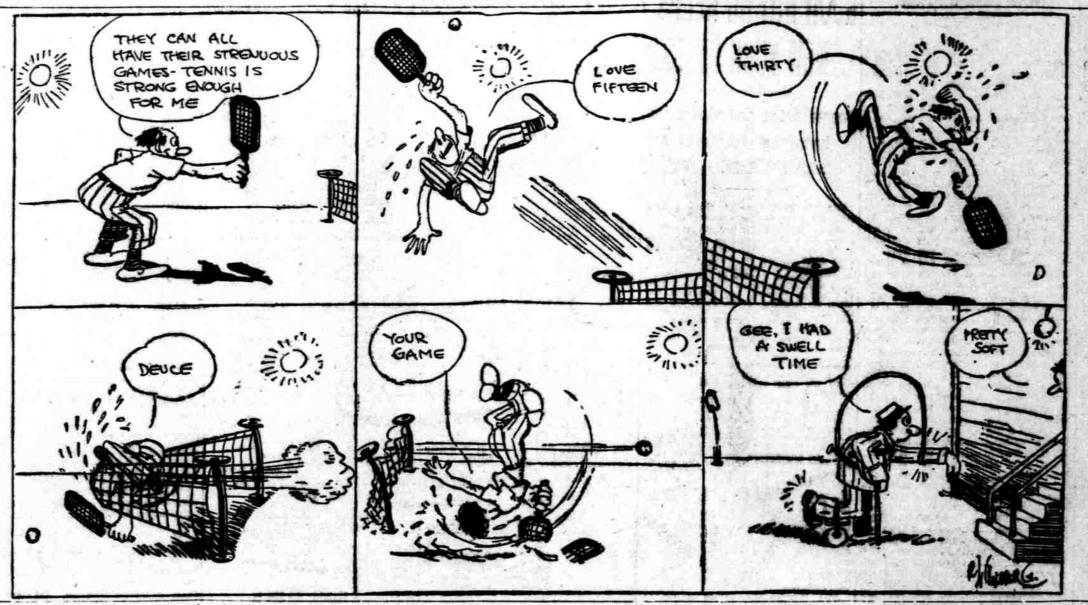
"Inky" Davis, formerly with the Bankers and Georgetown University, has failed to set Cincinnati aftre with his playing, and will probably come has falled to set Cincinnati aftre with his playing, and will probably come back to the city. Davis was released to Baltimore, in the Eastern League, but declined to go. He was then offered his unconditional release. Nothing has been heard of him since the appropriments.

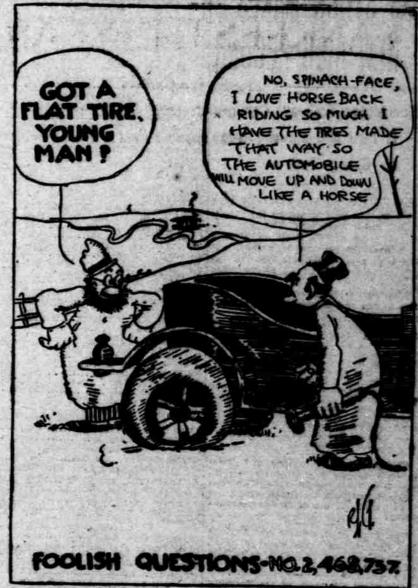
Coulon Fails to Boost Stock Against Burns

Coulon is not likely to be a strong favorite in his coming battle with Kid Williams, of Baltimore, for the bantamshowing against Frankie Burns, of New Jersey, at Kenosha last night.

The little Easterner earned a draw, and at least one local newspaper critic today declared that if a hair-line decision had been made Burns would have been awarded the bout. The champion did not display the speed nor the aggressiveness that was his before his recent illness, and on one or two occasions the crowded hissed him for holding Burns. The Jersey lad was stronger at the finish. showing against Frankle Burns, of New

THIS ALL COMES UNDER THE HEAD OF PLEASURE





MEADOWBROOK MAY STAGE HUGE GAME

Place for Holding Football Clash.

NEW YORK, June 25 .- It is under stood today that negotiations are under way between the Army and Navy that has shown the fans at football managers to stage the annua game between the two schools at Mendowbrook, where the international polo matches were played.

It is said the Army people want to play at West Point or the Polo Grounds but they won't go to Philadelphia again. The Navy folks say they won't come to New York, so now the managers are busy trying to get Meadow-

Results Of Minors

American Association. Minneapolis, 1; Columbus, 0. Kansas City, 2; Toledo, 0. Other games; wet grounds.

International League. Jersey City, 8; Rochester, 7. Newark, 3; Montreal, 2. Providence, 3; Toronto, 6. Buffalo at Baltimore; rain.

Southern League. Memphis, 2; Chattanooga, 0. Birmingham, 6; Mobile, 1. Montgomery, 3; Nashville, 1. Atlanta at New Orleans, rain.

South Atlantic League Savannah, 0; Albany, 0 (twel-Jacksonville, 6; Columbus, 1.

Virginia League. Portsmouth, 2; Newport News. twelve innings; darkness). Petersburg, 6: Norfolk 3. Roanoke, 0; Richmond, 0 innings; darkness).

Tristate League. Atlantic City, 9; Allentown, 6. Harrisburg, 7; Wilmington, 0. Trenton, 4; York, 3 (eleven innings). Appalachian League. Morristown. 3; Knoxville. 0. Middlesboro. 4: Bristol. 4 (thirteen innings; darkness). Johnson City. 9; Rome, 3.

Carolina Association. Charlotte, 4; Winston-Salem, 2 (first game). Charlotte, 2; Winston-Salem,

(second game, reven innings).
Greensboro, 8; Durham, 2 (called at the end of the seventh, rain).
Asheville, 4; Raleigh, 1. Texas League. Beaumont, 6; Dallas, 4. Fort Worth, 5; Galveston, 0.

Waco. 2: San Antonio, 0. Houston, 6: Austin, 2. K. I. T. League

Cairo, 5; Vincennes, 2 (first game), Cairo, 6; Vincennes, 3 (second game), Paducah, 5; Harrisburg, 4.

Cotton States League. Jackson, 13: Clarksville, 3. Columbus, 6; Meridian, 2. No other games played.

New England League. Lawrence, 5; Lynn, 0 (first game). Lynn, 7; Lawrence, 1 (second game). Worcester, 4; Portland, 3. Lowell, 6; Brockton, 6.

New York and New Jersey League. Kingston, 7; Newburg, 6 (first game). Newburg, 8; Kingston, 3 (sec. CHICAGO, June 24.-Champion Johnny

> Virginia League. Petersburg, 6; Norfolk, 2 (six in-nings, rain). Roanake, 6; Richmond, 6 (thirteen innings, darkness). Portsmouth, 2; Newport News, 2 (called end of twelfth, rain).

Eastern Association. New Haven, 2; Waterbury, 0 (first game, New Haven, 4; Waterbury, 2 game. New Haven, 4: Waterbury, 2 (second game). Hartford, 5; New London, 0. Pittsfield, 3: Springfield, 1. Bridgeport, 5; Holyoke, 2 (first

BINGLES AND BUNTS

(In the wake of Harvard's rebuttal of gridiron, diamond, track and water.) How speed the ages on their way; How old Doc Time must flutter by; How brief, alas, each vanished day As centuries arise and die; For here I see it jotted down As some famed legend builder wrote Where Babylon was quite a town— And Yale had Harvard's goat. Of Thing That Were—each vagrant note—
When Cleopatra knocked 'em cold—And Yale had Harvard's goat.

Within my den at night I read Forgotten legends of the years; Gray age on age I lamp the screed Of Hector's fall and Helen's tears; Aye, back beyond Time's fading rids; I hear Pan piping of the gloat When Doc Horatius held the bridge And Yale had Harvard's goat.

A Crimson Chortle.

But yesterday J. Caesar cleaned The pennant up in conquered Gaul; But yesterday Kid David beaned Gollath with his swiftent ball; And I remember from the mold,

SMITH IS NEXT TO

He Will Take Rest.

CALGARY, Alberta, June 24.-Arthur

Pelkey's next battle will be with Gun-

boat Smtih and the match will be ar-

ranged for the near future, according to

been at his training camp since the killing of Luther McCarty, here, on

Following his acquittal on the charge

Pelkey left today for his home, in Chat

ham, Ontario. He said that he expected

to re-enter the ring, but that he had

no definite arangements. A crowd of

his friends gathered at the station to

Tommy Burns, promoter of the Mc

Carty-Pelkey fight. said today he was

giad to see Pelkey freed, but that the

charge of Chief Justice Harvey to the

jury sounded the death-knell of fighting

in Canada. Burns is to be tried in

game). Holyoke, 4: Bridgeport, 3

New York State League.

Western League.

Pacific Coast League.

At San Francisco-San Francisco, Portland, 3.

College Baseball. Pennsylvania. 2; Michigan, 7. Amherst, 2; Dartmouth, 6.

October and expects acquittal.

Utica, 7: Wilkesbarre, 0.

Byracuse, 5: Scranton, 4.

omaha, 8; Wichita, 2.

Denver, 1: St. Joe, 0.

Albany, 1; Binbhamton, 0. Elmira, 8; Troy, 1.

Lincoin, 12: Des Moines, 3.

see him off.

(second game).

MEET ARTHUR PELKEY

Sir-Kindly note again that "in the bright lexicon of victory there is no such word as Yale."-J. Harvard.

leading a tail-end club. There is a limit to everything-even unto the dope. But in the meanwhile, what's the answer?

(Loud voice from somewhere-Syracuse, Harvard, and the Athletics).

The Old Standby.

In the midst of these days of upheaval and such we must turn some where to an old landmark for sustenance, now that Ty Cobb is also running

Where can it be? Where else but to Walter Johnson? While Johnson has only won fifteen out of nineteen games, we perceive by an exhaustive study of his season's work that ten of his nineteen contests have been shutouts and that in fifteen of the nineteen games he has held the enemy to one run or less. When in doubt, you can always turn to this cove for a cheering thought. Ten shut-outs up to waning June, with four months to go-

Frank L. Chance would like to get in touch with the public spirited Chicago citizen who has offered the renowned H. Zim one hundred bone for staying in the game two weeks without being dispersed.

Mr. Chance desires that a similar offer be made to one of his pitchers for staying in the game two innings without having his block splintered by a series of line drives. If necessary the \$100 bill can be torn into seven segments, each segment to be presented immediately after each pitched ball.

The Reign of Crimson Hose.

The hurricane season completed by Harvard finds the Red Sox also turning back into the main byway. Last fall the crimson bosed legion ruled both gridiron and diamond and there is now a fend wish around Boston Mr. Stahl will continue to follow in the wake of the crimson flag.

We picked the Red Sox last spring to battle it out with the Athletics but injuries wrecked their early outlook. Now that the old machine is back Tes, Whither?

It may yet furnish trouble before the year is out. Contrary to opinion in a good many quarters, the Red Sox outfit is quite a ball club with its full battles to be waged with the visitors. The Philadelphia teams are returning the visit made earlier in the year by big Frenchman who could hit the ball a big for the power in the field. A ball club that isn't to be taken too lightly, even by the visit made earlier in the year by big Frenchman who could hit the ball a it may yet furnish trouble before the year is out. Contrary to opinion in a

> As we understand it from the experts, the Syracuse crew wasn't very long on form. All it was good for was to push the boat through the water

> No one seems to fear the Phillies and the Phillies in turn are no bothering about the rest of the field. Thus recording an even break except n the standing of the clubs.

> Alexander and Seaton together should win sixty games for the Phillies. But just where Dooin can dig up the other thirty-seven needed from the rest of his staff is the answer to the N. L. race.

We Could Hear This Coming.

Sir-The Harvards are now running away from the Yales, but I'm laying even money the Bulldog's football captain will Ketcham next fall.

BOB THAYER'S SPORTING GOSSIP

EVERY KNOCK IS A BOOST."-

McCarty's Victor Leaves Calthe Red Sox the Griffmen went back to their old berth, and must now fight to gary for His Home, Where keep it. Manager Griffith is confident of succeeding, too. But it was pretty soft, wasn't it?

Jim Vaughn's work.

Jim Vaughn attains great fame in is the only veteran of three-year ser of manslaughter by a jury last night, instead of toiling for half the money in the bushes.

Two games today.

Those Naplanders play a doubleheader with the Tigers today, and it would not surprise me to see them drop Mike Murphy. Orton is one of the first both games. Birmingham's team got a jump on the others in the spring, out they're coming back as fast as they went up. It will very likely be seen that by the time the Eastern teams return from their next trip West the Naps will be back around fourth, fight-

ing to hold on. What Chance thinks.

Like every other manager in league, Frank Chance thinks O'Loughlin the "worst he ever saw." But it isn't what Chance thinks or does in the matter. Until the owners of the clubs in this league complain officially, this incompetent official will continue to spoil good ball games, rile the players. and sicken the public, as he has don in every city in the circuit,

Climbing up to third place without They won, of course, which is what we playing a game is pretty soft, en, wot? expected. Practice got in these matches Because of the Mackmen's victory over should put the team in fine fettle to meet the Germans in the semi-final next

Surprised somewhat.

It looked as though Spransey might be made commodore of the Cornell navy but he was not the choice. Spransey pitching a no-hit no-run game for Kan- vice in the varsity eight this year, and sas City against Toledo, and it seems was a member of the famous freshman some of Pelker's close friends who have a pity that a young man with his build crew which displaced the varsity eight and ability cannot successfully hold his at that time. Cornell has upset two own in the big show. Were he to train precedents this spring. First in the faithfully and follow directions, he election of a track captain who had might easily be a star in the majors, failed to win his letter, and now in the election of a freshman to the biggest honor in rowing.

George Orton picked.

Dr. George Orton should succeed at Penn in taking the place of the late distance men developed at Penn by the famous trainer, knows his methods, and is fully capable of taking care of the Penn men. I failed to see Eddle Bennis name among the assistant football men, although the former Georgetown coach

sanctioned meets in the city, why isn't it winning freshman eight. possible for the A. A. U. to give a meet on its own hook. As was pointed out yesterday some thirty thousand boys are taking part in New York's celebration on July 4. The A. A. U. handles this affair.

Re Matched Act

Wagner Makes Good.

7|ORTON SUCCEEDS MURPHY AT PENN

Vivian Nichols Will Take Place of Ellis Ward as Rowing Instructor.

PHILADELPHIA, June 24.-Sons of ennsylvania were elated today over the selections by the board of directors of the Athletics Association of Dr. George W. Orton to succeed Mike Mur-phy as track coach, and Vivian Nickalla as rowing coach to succeed Ellis Ward. Nickalls comes from the Detroit Boat Nickalls comes from the Detroit Boat Club, where he has made quite a name for himself as coach. He is an English oarsman, and brother of Guy Nickalls, the famous Oxford sculler. The appointment of Orton was a surprise, as he was never considered in the list of likely appointees. He is a former passed vaniar runner. has coached say. Pennsylvania runner, has coached sev-eral small schools, and with Frank Ellis was the originator of the Pennsylvania

Name Freshman as Commodore at Cornell

although the former Georgetown coach was mentioned earlier.

Here's an idea.

Instead of threwing broadcast a warning to athletes who are contemplating entering the municipal and other unsanctioned meets in the city, why isn't it

With an eye to the matches that be staged here at the Rock Creek crease with the Germantown a Woonsocket livery st British-American Cricket Club and the Falls of Schuylkill Club on July 4, 5, and 6, Capt. Jimmy Rose is urging his players of the Washington Cricket Club to get into shape.

The local club is to practice at Rock | "Why. do know," said Creek Park starting at 2 o'clock with didn't even know Lajole's

Captain Rose asks all of the players

out with the idea of selecting an eleven to tackle the visitors. The schedule is heavy and the local team is expecting to have its hands full in its three engagements. McDermott Must Make Great Score to Count for the Carters independent passessing to the formula select it was soing down to Woonsocket to disput that Frenchman. Select said.

HOYLAKE, England, June 24.-J. J. You're a fool if you do. McDermott, the American golfer who arm is all gone, and he thinks this landed eighth in the championship Frenchman is a wonder because he can McDermott, the American golfer who landed eighth in the championship which started here yesterday, will have to play sensational golf in the next fifty-four holes to be played before the cards are turned in. McDermott started off with a 70 for the first nine holes and landed eighth in the list.

Edward Ray, open champion of Great Britain, led a field of sixty-five players yesterday with a card of 73-74, 147, a stroke better than J. H. Taylor, former holder of the title, who had 2-75, 148. Michael Moran of Dublin was third with 150. There was a downfall of rain which had lasted over night and made conditions miseraule.

Americans Ahead in

British Tennis Match

LONDON, June 24.—Maurice McLoughlin, Norris Williams, and Wallace Johnson, the American players competing in the English tennis championship, won their matches in the first round yesterday. McLoughlin strucks a snap in H. Barrett-Roper, being forced

ship, won their matches in the first round yesterday. McLoughlin struck a snap in H. Barrett-Roper, being forced to extend himself to the limit to win. The Britisher forced McLoughlin to five sets, which went at 4-6, 5-4, 1-6, 6-2, and 8-6. Williams won his match by default and Wallace Johnson took a rather bloodiess win from A. W. Andrews, by 6-1, 6-0, and 6-3. Members of the Canadian team won their matches.

Epiphany Church A. A. **Holds Games Today**

Ephipany Church athletic association is holding its annual closed track and the Sunday school connected with that the Sunday school connected with that institution also having its annual excursion to that place.

Johnny Campbell, of the Memorial A. C., has been instrumental in preparing an extensive sports card, which will be featured by a two-mile exhibition run by himself. The sporting events will be held at 5 o'clock, about an hour after the boat leaving Washington at after the boat leaving Washington at

Keep Drowning Secret.

SEATTLE, Wash., June 4.- Two mem-Be Matched Again bers of the eight-oared crew of the University of Washington, which rowed bers of the eight-oared crew of the third in the Poughkeepsie regatta Sat-Wagner Makes Good.

They won, of course.

Among the recruits picked up by Broklyn this season is Bull Wagner, pitcher. Wagner comes from New In the Southern League, where he made a good record. He worked against the Cubs during the open tennis championship of Ensign.

McLoughlin being hard pressed.

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Missouri Judge to **Check McCarty Estate**

SPRINGFIELD, Mo., June 24.-Prowould begin an investigation to learn why the estate of Luther Mc-Carty received only \$3 of the proceeds of the Calgary fight, in which McCarty met his death.

The gate receipts at Calgary were \$600, of which McCarty was to have received half. Judge Lydy refused to approve the inventory of McCarty's estate when he noticed the discrepancy.

Pay to See Braves.

Manager Stalings has kept the Braves on their toes at all times, and the fight-ing spirit of a second division team has been applicated by the Boston fans via the box office.

